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In re patent application of:

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For:

DETECTION CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OSCILLATOR

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X	3 sheet(s) of drawing(s) (formal/_x_ informal).					
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